

**Service of Process
Transmittal**

05/27/2015

CT Log Number 527192793

TO: Lisa Girgen
Securian Financial Group, Inc.
400 Robert Street North, Station #20-1407
Saint Paul, MN 55101-2098

RE: **Process Served in Missouri**

FOR: Minnesota Life Insurance Company (Domestic State: MN)

ENCLOSED ARE COPIES OF LEGAL PROCESS RECEIVED BY THE STATUTORY AGENT OF THE ABOVE COMPANY AS FOLLOWS:

TITLE OF ACTION: Becky Conner, Pltf. vs. Minnesota Life Insurance Company, Dft.

DOCUMENT(S) SERVED: Summons, Petition

COURT/AGENCY: Howell County Circuit Court, MO
Case # 15ALCC00019

NATURE OF ACTION: Insurance Litigation - Claim for policy benefits

ON WHOM PROCESS WAS SERVED: C T Corporation System, Clayton, MO

DATE AND HOUR OF SERVICE: By Process Server on 05/27/2015 at 09:00

JURISDICTION SERVED : Missouri

APPEARANCE OR ANSWER DUE: Within 30 days after receipt, exclusive of the day of service

ATTORNEY(S) / SENDER(S): George Chrysler Fisher Jr.
Ray & Fisher
13 Court Square
West Plains, MO 65775
417-256-7142

ACTION ITEMS: CT has retained the current log, Retain Date: 05/28/2015, Expected Purge Date: 06/02/2015
Image SOP
Email Notification, Lisa Girgen lisa.girgen@securian.com
Email Notification, Christine Peterson christine.peterson-law@securian.com

SIGNED: C T Corporation System

ADDRESS: 120 South Central Avenue
Suite 400
Clayton, MO 63105

TELEPHONE: 314-863-5545

EXHIBIT**A**

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IN THE 37TH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT COURT, HOWELL COUNTY, MISSOURI

Judge or Division: DAVID PAUL EVANS	Case Number: 15AL-CC00019
Plaintiff/Petitioner: BECKY CONNER	Plaintiff's/Petitioner's Attorney/Address GEORGE CHRYSLER FISHER JR. 13 COURT SQUARE WEST PLAINS, MO 65775
Defendant/Respondent: MINNESOTA LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY	Court Address: Howell County Courthouse PO BOX 967 WEST PLAINS, MO 65775
Nature of Suit: CC Breach of Contract	

FILED


MAY 18 2015

CINDY WEEKS
Circuit Clerk, Howell County MO

(Date File Stamp)

Summons in Civil Case

The State of Missouri to: MINNESOTA LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY
Alias:
REG AGENT: CT CORPORATION
120 SOUTH CENTRAL AVENUE
CLAYTON, MO 63105

COURT SEAL OF

HOWELL COUNTY

You are summoned to appear before this court and to file your pleading to the petition, a copy of which is attached, and to serve a copy of your pleading upon the attorney for Plaintiff/Petitioner at the above address all within 30 days after receiving this summons, exclusive of the day of service. If you fail to file your pleading, judgment by default may be taken against you for the relief demanded in the petition.

May 18, 2015
Date

Cindy Weeks
Circuit Clerk

By: *Jane Ringleton* D.C.

Further Information:

Sheriff's or Server's Return

Note to serving officer: Summons should be returned to the court within thirty days after the date of issue.

I certify that I have served the above summons by: (check one)

- ☐ delivering a copy of the summons and a copy of the petition to the Defendant/Respondent.
- ☐ leaving a copy of the summons and a copy of the petition at the dwelling place or usual abode of the Defendant/Respondent with a person of the Defendant's/Respondent's family over the age of 15 years.
- ☐ (for service on a corporation) delivering a copy of the summons and a copy of the petition to _____ (name) _____ (title).
- ☐ other _____

Served at _____ (address)
in _____ (County/City of St. Louis), MO, on _____ (date) at _____ (time).

Printed Name of Sheriff or Server

Signature of Sheriff or Server

Must be sworn before a notary public if not served by an authorized officer:

(Seal)

Subscribed and sworn to before me on _____ (date).

My commission expires: _____
Date

Notary Public

Sheriff's Fees

Summons \$ _____
Non Est \$ _____
Sheriff's Deputy Salary
Supplemental Surcharge \$ 10.00
Mileage \$ _____ (_____ miles @ \$._____ per mile)
Total \$ _____

A copy of the summons and a copy of the petition must be served on each Defendant/Respondent. For methods of service on all classes of suits, see Supreme Court Rule 54.

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**IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF HOWELL COUNTY, MISSOURI
CIRCUIT DIVISION**

MAR 6 2015 3:37 pm
CINDY WEEKS
Circuit Clerk, Howell County MO

BECKY CONNER,
Plaintiff,

vs.

**MINNESOTA LIFE INSURANCE
COMPANY,**
Defendant.

Case No. 15AL-CC00019

PETITION

Comes now Plaintiff and states:

1. Plaintiff was a resident of the State of Missouri at the time that the incident occurred.
2. Plaintiff was married to her husband Albert Conner when Mr. Conner passed away on June 22, 2013.
3. Defendant is an insurance company doing business in the State of Missouri and specifically in Howell County, Missouri.
4. In consideration of an insurance premium, Defendant issued a policy of insurance designated as a joint accidental death mortgage coverage Policy No. 0390747-001102296636 which, among other coverages, insured against loss caused by accidental death of an insured.
5. On or about June 22, 2013, an accident occurred which resulted in the death of Albert Conner.
6. Plaintiff has made demand upon Defendant for payment of damages under the insurance policy due to the accidental death of Albert Conner.
7. Defendant has denied coverage and refused to pay the accidental death benefit under the insurance policy.

8. Plaintiff is entitled to have and recover damages from Defendant including but not limited to the accidental death benefit coverage under the policy.

9. The actions of Defendant in failing to make payment under the insurance policy is vexatious, in bad faith and without reasonable cause or excuse, and Plaintiff is entitled to have and recover of Defendant penalties as provided by RSMo. 375.420, including reasonable attorney's fees.

WHEREFORE, Plaintiff prays judgment against Defendant insurance company under insurance Policy No. 0390747-001102296636 for the damages resulting from the accidental death of Albert Conner, for penalties, interest and attorney's fees, and for such other relief as the Court deems proper.

Becky S. Conner
BECKY CONNER

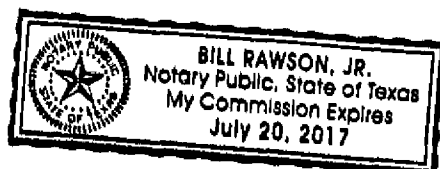
STATE OF TEXAS)
)
County of Anderson) ss

On this 25 day of February, 2015, before me personally appeared **BECKY CONNER**, to me known to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing instrument and acknowledged that she executed the same as her own free act and deed and that the facts stated therein are true and accurate to her best knowledge and belief.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal at my office, the day and year first above written.

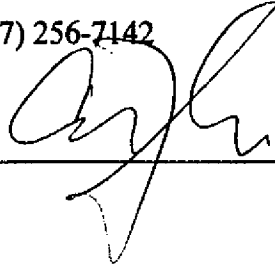
(Seal)

Bill Rawson, Jr.
Notary Public
Commission Expires: 7/20/2017



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A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Chryn', is written over a horizontal line.